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1. A major detachment of Czech soldiers was familiarized by an officer with terrain features and landmarks in the Czech border area opposite the German town of Hohenberg (M 51/P 27) on 1 February 1954. The soldiers presumably were border guard troops recently stationed at Berkhausen (M 51/P 27).
2. Czech ski patrols were guided by an officer in the Czech border area opposite the German towns of Neudorf (N 50/P 33) and Georgenberg (N 50/P 33) in February 1954. From the conduct of the young soldiers it was concluded that they had never been in this area before.

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1. Comment. It is believed [ ] young PS soldiers who presumably were inducted in the fall of 1953 and were assigned to field units in January 1954. Several previous reports indicated that active service for PS soldiers was prolonged from 24 to 30 months and discharges would be made in mid-January 1954.

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